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In re-Patent Application of

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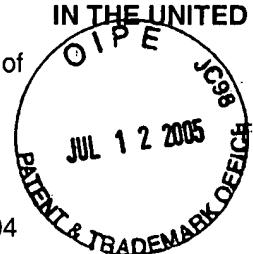
Title: LAMINATED PIEZOELECTRIC ELEMENT AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

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C/A.U. 3729

Examiner: T. Nguyen

Date: July 12, 2005



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**RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER**

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

 **Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.****Fees are attached as calculated below:**

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| Total effective claims after amendment | 9  | minus highest number |                                |
| previously paid for                    | 20 | (at least 20) =      | 0 x \$50.00                    |
|  |    |                      | \$0.00 (1202)/\$0.00 (2202) \$ |

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| Independent claims after amendment | 1 | minus highest number |                                |
| previously paid for                | 2 | (at least 3) =       | 0 x \$200.00                   |
|                                    |   |                      | \$0.00 (1201)/\$0.00 (2201) \$ |

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| If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, (ignore improper); add |  |  |                                    |
|  |  |  | \$360.00 (1051)/\$180.00 (2051) \$ |

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|   |  | Three Month Extensions | \$1020.00 (1253)/\$510.00 (2253)    |
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| Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add |  |  |  | \$130.00 (1814) / \$65.00 (2814) \$ |
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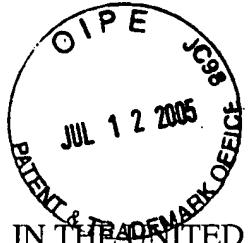
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**AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action dated 04/22/2005, please amend the above-identified application as shown below: